ISD Daily News

Act as what you do makes a difference, because it does.

Volume 4, Issue 17

Wednesday, September 4, 2002



HS Class Meetings

5th Year Class of 2003

Class of 2004 Class of 2005 Class of 2006

Main Library (Alumni Hall)

Room 7107 (Vocational) ASL Lab (Vocational) Room 7106 (Vocational)

Room 7120 (Vocational)

Today's Case Conferences

September 5

8:15 am - 3:45 pm

6+1 Trait Writing Train the Trainers Workshop

6:00 pm -8:00 pm

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Continuation of 6+1 Trait Writing Workshop

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Components of a Quality Literacy Program and

Bringing Kids and Books Together

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Maneuver with Mathematics: An Overview

Main Library is closed. Classes Dismiss (12:30)

Donna Stutler's Farewell Party outside of Judy Cass's Office (2:00 - 4:00)

September 9

Mid-Term Reports are due.

September 10

Ed Team Meeting (9:00) MS Football with Christian Park Irish (5:00)

September 11

MS & HS Activity Period Focusing on 9/11

HS Volleyball at Covenant Christian (4:30/5:30)

HS Cross Country at Tri-West with Speedway and Tri (4:30)

MS Volleyball at Trader's Point (4:30/5:00)

Department Meetings (3:20)

September 12

Angi Casler's Preschool Class will visit Sugar Buzz in Broad Ripple to learn about

Sundae Bars (11:00 am - 1:00 pm)

HS Volleyball at Sheridan (5:30/6:30)

September 13

MS Volleyball with Bethesda (4:30/5;000

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September 17

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September 18

ISD School Board Meeting (1:00-4:00)

September 19 HS Cross Country at Ellenberger Park against Covenant Christian, Ritter & Scecina

(4:00)

HS Volleyball at Park Tudor (4:30) MS Volleyball at Sycamore (4:30/5:00)

September 20 Waiver Day- Students dismissed at 12:30 pm.

September 21 HS Volleyball at Maryland (9:00 am)

HS Volleyball -MSSD (11:00 am)

MS Volleyball at Emmaus Lutheran (6:00/6:30)

Varsity Football at Maryland SD (7:00)

September 23 ISTEP Testing Begins

September 24 ED Team Meeting (9:00)

MS Volleyball with St. John Lutheran (4:30/5:00)

September 25 Department Meetings (3:20)

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SRC Duty

Middle School

Lunch - Denise Hibbitt

After School - Sondra Gullion

High School

Lunch – Debbie Willman After School – Beth Fields

Staff Working Off Campus

Staff Absences

Preschool

Elementary Malcolm Peters (Jennifer Jenkins will sub.)

Monica Byrum David Geeslin

Middle School

High School Linda Lloyd

Gary Nash (Leaving at 1:15 p.m.)

Principal's Office

Outreach

Announcements

Sports Update

Varsity Volleyball - ISD welcomed Bethesda Christian to our roaring Caskey Gym and chased them out of our nest. With our usual slow start, we were careless with the ball, but then we refocused to put them away, 21 - 17. After that, we never looked back as we thrust ahead behind crowd-raising kills from Elsie

(4), Jorjan (5), and Erica (10). A skillful defense from Annalee and Amanda in feeding Pia Marie got us good sets. The final matches were 1 - 13 and 21 - 13. Our record is 7 - 1. The Player of the Match was Pia Marie Paulone with 16 points, 11 assists and 7 aces.

Jr. Varsity – Last night, we struggled against a strong Bethesda Christian team. They were also a good team, and we lost both games 15 - 21 and 20 - 22. We choked in the first match, but in the second, we played pretty well but couldn't beat them! Our next match is tomorrow against Arlington at home. Come and cheer for us! Our current record is 2 - 1.

7th/8th Girls Volleyball - We played against our rival team, International School, yesterday. We could have won the games but were defeated, 16-21 and 15-21. We gave the opponent team a scare with our strong serves. Coach Whited was proud of us for doing positively and staying together as a team! Our record is 2 wins and 2 losses. We will play against St. Richards this Thursday at home. - Coach Leithia Whited

4th/5th Grade Girls Volleyball - We played our 2nd volleyball game against the 2001-2002 championship team, International, yesterday. We beat the opponent team one out of three games: 19-21, 21-8, 17-21. We felt that we played better than International, because the opponent team beat us with two close games and we won one game easily. Go Orioles! We will have our first home game this Thursday at 4:30 pm. Come and cheer for us!

All Staff Give-away – As promised, tomorrow (Thursday, September 5, 2002), we will hold an all staff drawing for a gift certificate from Christopher's Restaurant at 3822 N. Illinois Street. We thank Christopher's for donating the gift certificate good for a choice of sandwich, soup/salad, and a drink. The drawing will be held around 9:30 a.m. and announced on ISDTV. The Principal's Secretary, Pam Lewis, will also contact the winner. A picture will be taken of the winner for the bulletin board outside of the Principal's Office. Christopher's has also included a \$1.00 off coupon that you can print and use. Stop by the bulletin board outside of the Principal's office in the Alumni Hall Building to view Christopher's menu and see the winner. Good luck, everyone!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!! - Before we start on the last chapter of 2002 IMS (U.S. Grand Prix Formula One (F-1)), we want to thank every one for helping out as volunteers during the past two races. We will not be working at Stand 299 during the F-1 race, because it will be used as a catering building to feed the F-1 drivers and teams. IMS is trying to locate us to a similar set up as we had in Stand 299. Due to the unofficial information and short period left to the F-1 race, we are recruiting 56 volunteers now so that we can be ready. If more is needed, it will be easier to fill. Please sign up now and select your preference. When we get further information,

CHRISTOPHER'S CAFE-CATERINGBAKE SHOP

Join us for BBQ Pork, Beef & Chicken Night

Carry-out Available every Wednesday from 5:00 pm till 8:00 pm 3822 N. Illinois St. 923-4733

Coupon \$1.00 off any BBQ

we will pass it along to you by email. We would like to acknowledge all the volunteers that helped ISD's Athletic program. You as volunteers have made a tremendous contribution and we are very grateful. Without the hardworking volunteers, we could not have raised \$ 12,000.00 in 20 days. This program works, and we want to continue doing it next year. Again thanks to all the volunteers for their time and efforts.

The breakdown of volunteers is listed below:

Friday, September 27th - 16 volunteers (Practice) Saturday, September 28th - 20 volunteers (Practice/Qualification) Sunday, September 29th - 20 volunteers (Race Day) Please give us your choices in order of preferred dates that you will work as volunteer. You can give us only one or two or three preferred dates, but please do give us your preferred choices in order. IT WILL BE FIRST COME FIRST SERVE! Send your preferred dates and choices to Ken Kramer (Kenneth.Kramer@DFAS.Mil) and Rod Squire (RCSQUIRE@MSN.COM) no later than Sunday, September 8th. **Don't Delay!** Please be sure that you will be available on that day you are assigned. If you have any question, please don't hesitate to ask us.

Gallaudet Reading Workshop



For ISD, Teachers, Parents and Professionals Across the States

This workshop teaches the effective book-sharing techniques known as the "The 12 Principles for Reading to Deaf Children." These principles were developed from research studying effective communication strategies deaf adults use when reading to deaf and hard of hearing children.

The workshop focuses on these key concerns:

*Why is reading important?

*How do I use sign language to share stories?

*What if I don't know all the signs related to a story?

*How do I keep ASL and English visible while reading?

*How do I arrange the placement of the child and the book?

Participants learn to recognize and apply the 15 principles for reading to deaf and hard of hearing children. They practice these new principles and gain new skills they can use with their own children or with the children they teach.

When: Saturday, October 5

Where: Distance Learning Lab, Indiana School for the Deaf

Time:

9 - 4 PM

(Registration includes lunch and materials- 4 CEU's awarded by the Indiana Professional Standards Board)

Send Registration Information to:
Diane H. Jones, Outreach Department
Indiana School for the Deaf
1200 E. 42nd Street
Indianapolis, IN 46205
Dhjones@isfd.state.in.us
1-800-722- 6166 or 317-924-8418

__Single parent or professional -- \$20

Couples -- \$30 (applies to parents) Materials only -- \$15

Sponsored by Gallaudet University, Indiana School for the Deaf and the Parent-Teacher-Counselor Organization

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Indiana's videoconferencing network for teaching-learning

Some Distance Learning Opportunities This Semester

Aquatic Research Interactive

Diving into Biology - Live Virtual Dive 9/12, 9/25, 9,/26, 10/10, 10/23 or 10/31

Diving into Geometry 9/17, 10/1, 10/15, 11/5, 11/19, 12/3 or 12/17

Diving into History 10/3, 11/7, 11/14, 11/28, 12/5 or 12/13 Diving into Lake Invaders 9/27, 10/25, 11/22 or 12/12

9/24, 10/8, 10/22, 11/12, 11/26, 12/10 or 12/24 Diving into Physics

Diving into Solution to Pollution 9/13, 10/11 or 11/8

Diving into Space 9/19, 10/17, 11/21 or 12/19

Diving into Toxic Release Inventory 10/4, 11/1 or 12/6

Diving into Toys Underwater 9/18, 10/2, 10/16, 10/30, 11/6, 11/20, 11/27, 12/4,

12/11 or 12/18

Diving into Wastewater 9/20, 10/18, 11/15 or 12/20

Diving into Water Quality 10/9, 10/24 or 11/13

Let's Go Diving 10/29 or 11/29

Jane Bromberger

Writing Is Exciting 9/19, 10/10, 10/17, 11/14, 12/5 or 1/17

Challenger Learning Center

Alpha Base One By Request

By Request Captain Cosmic

The Earth from Above - Satellites By Request Journey through Space and Time By Request

Living and Working in Space By Request

By Request Planetary Patty By Request

QUESTions Anyone

Clarian Health

Growing Up Drug Free

HELP - Highway Emergency Lifesaving Program

No-Zone Safety...Learn to Share the Road with Big Trucks

Pack of Lies

Safe Stretches for Active Kids

Shift Into Winter – Cool Maneuvers for Slick Roads

Staying Alive - Health for Grade 6

Staying Alive - Health for Grade 7

Staying Alive -Health for Grade 8

Staying Alive - Mathematics for Grade 6

Staying Alive – Mathematics for grade 7

Staying Alive - Mathematics for Grade 8

Staying Alive – Language Arts for Grade 6

Staying Alive – Language Arts for Grade 7

All of Clarian Health's programming is by request.

Staying Alive - Language Arts for Grade 8

Staying Alive - Language Arts for Grade 8

Staving Alive - Science for Grade 6

Staying Alive - Science for Grade 7

Staying Alive - Science for Grade 8

Think First for Kids

Think First for Teens

Think First - NEVER Shake a Baby

Traveling Alone Safety

Clowes Memorial Hall

An Overview of Careers in the Arts

By Request

Behind the Scenes at The Nutcracker

12/6

How Did They Do That? – A Light in the Storm

How Did They Do That/ - The Nightingale 1/24, 1/27 or 1/28

Performing Arts Careers – An In-Depth Look

11/5 - 1/31

Turning a Novel Into a Play

11/12, 11/13, 11/14, 12/12, 12/13, 12/16, 12/17,

12/18, 1/13, 1/14, 1/15, 1/16 or 1/17

Conner Prairie

1836 Literary Society - Poetry

10/23

1836 School Days

10/10, 11/7 or 1/9

1886 School Days

9/18, 10/17 or 11/13

Conner Prairie Careers

1/29

Creating Communities

10/24 or 1/22

Fall Creek Massacre

By Request

Healing Hands - Medicine in Early Indiana 11/14 or 11/20

Treaty of St. Mary's

By Request

Ways West - The Peopling of Indiana

9/19, 10/29, 11/21 or 1/16

The Woman's Domain 10/30 or 11/6

Woodland Indians - Art and Culture

10/2

Eiteljorg Museum

The Eitelijorg Artist in residence Program - Meet, Greet & Share

Rawhide – The Process and the Products

Symbolism in Native American Art

New Art of the West 8 - Artists Speak Out

Traditional Art talk

Western Art Talk

Eiteljorg programming is by request.

12/6

Eli Lilly and Company

Ask the Scientists about Viruses from Colds to tattooing to Edola Outbreaks

11/8

Brainlink - Brain Comparisons

11/22

Brainlink - Memory and Learning Brainlink - Sensory Signals and Motor Highways

11/15

12/13

How Animals Are Used in Research

10/18

Mystery Skulls - Herbivore, Carnivore or Omnivore? National Chemistry Week - Meet Lilly Chemists

11/1

Folksongs & Foolery

Animal Tales & Tunes

10/15 or 12/3

Haunted Halloween

10/28

Sticks & Stones - The Bully Project

9/19 or 1/21

Stories for a Whole Planet

11/12 or 1/28

Tales from Hoosier History

11/19 or 12/10

Thanksgiving Tales

'Tis the Season

11/26 12/17

World Tour of Folk Tales

9/17 or 1/14

Freetown Village

African American Scientists and Inventions during the 1870s

Making a Living in 1870 11/12 11/26

Survival Strategies During and After Slavery

10/15

Patrick Girouard

Explore Book Illustration

9/19, 10/17, 11/21, 12/19 or 1/16

Halloween Special- Exploring Illustration

10/28, 10/29, 10/30 or 10/31

Global Education Network

Snapshots of Cultures

By Request

Greenwood Public Library

Ben Mikaelsen – Becoming the Author of Your Own Life 1/28

Ben Mikaelsen - Creation of a Book

1/30

Ben Mikaelsen – Research: Finding the Heart of the Story

1/29

Mark Twain: Rovin' Reportin' Riverboatin' By Request

Hook's Discovery & Learning Center

Behind the Story - The genetics of Fairytales

10/7, 11/18, 12/18 or 1/22

10/28, 12/19 or 1/22

The Body - Gross, Yucky & Oh So Cool! Curious Encounters

11/4, 12/4 or 1/14

Experts in the Field – Ancient Bones Speak

If I Were a Goldfish

11/4, 11/11, 12/2 or 1/8

Me, Myself & I

10/7, 10/14, 11/6, 12/2 or 1/27 Soda Fountain Science 10/2, 10/28, 11/18, 12/18 or 1/8

Truth in Advertising

10/2, 11/6, 12/9 or 1/13

Mary Ann Hunsberger

Bringing Stories to Life

By Request

Indiana Historical Society

The Real Stuff – Using Primary Sources in the Classroom

11/6 or 11/7

Indiana Repertory Theatre

Directing for the Stage

By Request

Exploring Shakespeare

By Request

You're the Critic!

By Request

More information on each of these distance learning events can be found at http://www.visionathena.org at the Vision Athena catalogue. The information for each event lists:

- The Target Audience
- A Description of the Event
- Contact Person
- Pre and Post-Event Materials
- Cost (Dan Stutler will handle this.)
- Videotaping details
- Disciplines addressed
- Proficiencey Standards
- Event dates and Registration Deadlines
- Times

Mark Your Calendar for Indiana's Helping Working Families Conference

Keynole speaker:

Dr. Ruby K. Payne

Internationally acclaimed speaker, educator and author of A Framework for **Understanding Poverty**

October 1, 2002 Indiana Convention Center Indianapolis, Indiana

> For more information call J-800-599-6048 or visit www.in.gov/fssa/hwfc

Join your fellow professionals from across the state who are helping Indiana's working families achieve a better life for themselves and their children.

Hear new ideas, share information and learn about important resources in concurrent sessions on:

- Housing
- Transportation
- · lob training
- · Child care
- Alcohol and drug dependency
- Youth initiatives
- Community collaboration
- Domestic violence
- Child support
- Special populations
- Fatherhood
- · Faith-based initiatives
- * and more!

Plus, visit the Networking Exhibit where more than 50 agencies and organizations will answer questions and provide information on valuable services, programs and resources available to help working families.

Registration brochures will be mailed in late August.

Sponsored by the Indiana Family and Social Services Administration.



To Help Working Families



I'm not getting better. I'm just getting older!!!!! – George Stailey

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Upcoming Activities

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1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Continuation of 6+1 Trait Writing Workshop Components of a Quality Literacy Program and

Today's Case

Conferences

M. Wilson

M. Melchi

L. Waiss

R. Hobbs

K. Patterson

J. Stotts Z. Muller M. Neier

8:30

9:00

1:00

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Lunch -

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High School

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After School - Keith Westhoelter

Sinis Vorting Off Campus

The following staff are attending the 6 + 1 Trait Writing Workshop today and tomorrow:

- Linda Cooper (Ted Myhre will sub.)
- ❖ Amy Fenicle (Don Lehnerz will sub.)
- Danielle Griska (Joy Lehnerz will sub.)
- ❖ Jeff King (Bruce Peters will cover.)
- Toni Wolfe (Beth Beyke will sub.)
- Pamela Gatto (Laura Kesterke will cover.)
- Denise Hibbitt (Kristyn Noblitt will cover.)
- Carol Keller (Linda Krieger will sub.)
- Carrie Martin (Vera Masters will sub.)
- Sharon Baker
- Suzanne Bono (Pat Cooper will sub.)
- Jim Frenchik (Lane Grover will sub.)
- Mary Kovatch (Chuck Daube will sub.)
- Rachel Powers (Dan stutler & Ruth Asher-Lynch will cover.)
- Debbie Willman (Brenda Mowl will sub.)

Staff Absencer

Preschool

Carla Meyer Sheryl Hittle Mike McGeath

Elementary
Middle School High School Principal's Office Outreach -

Cafeteria Line Will Close Early on Friday

The Brown Cafeteria Serving Line will close at 12:30 p.m. on Friday, September 6th due to the workshop, "Bringing Kids and Books Together", that starts at 1:00 in Brown Cafeteria. This will allow time for clean-up. Thanks.



Location Changed – The location of Friday's workshop, the Components of a Quality Literacy Program and Bringing Kids and Books Together from 1;00 pm to 3;00 pm, has changed. The workshop will be held in the Brown Cafeteria (not the auditorium). Brown Cafeteria will close at 12:30 in preparation for the workshop. Sorry for any inconvenience that this causes.

Server Will Be Down - The ISD Network will be down tomorrow Sept 5th @ 4:45pm. It will last for an hour. DOIT from state will come here and replace a part on the main switch. You will not able to check email or open any files from servers because network will not let you go through. Your computer will not recognize the network, might require to restart or log off before 4:45pm. You will able check email or open files after 6pm or next morning (Friday). Please spread the word to other staff. Thanks! - Technology Center Staff

New Baby - Malcolm Peters, our 5th Grade Teacher, and his wife Jeanne have a new son born on Thursday, August 29th. His name is Roderick "Rory" Guthrie Peters. Rory is 20 1/4 inch and 6 lbs., 12 oz. Congratulation to them!

BSU Participant Rotations

First Rotation	August 26 - October 11	27 days in the classroom
Second Rotation	October 14 - December 6	25 days in the classroom
Third Rotation	January 6 - February 21	27 days in the classroom
Fourth Rotation	February 24 - May 2	30 days in the classroom

Some Benefits of the BSU Program

Judy Cass wanted to share a few of the benefits ISD has received from the Ball State Participant Program as identified through the interaction of Outreach staff with other schools, agencies and organizations.

- 1. Many teachers around the state are former BSU participants. ISD receives many referrals and much support from these teachers. So much that a common complaint from parents of oral students is that ISD runs the BSU Deaf Education Program. Therefore, the BSU program presents a bias toward BiBi and ASL. (For some of you "old timers" this sounds familiar only in the reverse, doesn't it!)
- 2. Michelle Reine, former BSU participant, is the UNHS (Universal Newborn Hearing Screening) Intake Coordinator. She is instrumental in the development of the pilot ED (Eligibility Determination) team concept. This pilot will send all families of babies identified as having a possible hearing loss through the ED team for eligibility and service needs determination. The ED team is composed of Holly Geeslin, Jodee Crace, and Shannon Stafford.
- 3. Azar Hadadian, Coordinator of the BSU Participant Program, has become a strong advocate of BiBi education and asked Louise Fitzpatrick specifically to serve on a national committee developing online training. The committee is focusing on the area of providing appropriate services to families of deaf and hard of hearing infants and preschoolers in the area of early childhood education. The committee is supported through a grant and includes mostly persons with Ph.D.s. Azar decided that the committee did not have enough Deaf people on it and requested Louise to serve.

Now Available - The 2001-02 Annual Performance Report is now on the ISD intranet and the Internet. You can click on the following address: http://deafhoosiers.com/AboutISD/AnnualReport2002.asp

Vision Athena Communicate, Collaborate, Indiana's videoconferencing network for teaching—learning.

More Distance Learning Opportunities This Semester

ACT OUT Ensemble

The Career Game
Diversity Issues
I Blame Me
I Can't Tell You
Peace Talk Live
Tracing from the Wild Ones
Try to Fit In

ACT Out programming is scheduled by request.



Children's Museum of Indianapolis

Celebrations

12/4 or 12/12

Cultural Awareness

10/22, 11/6 or 11/20

Custom Programs

By Request

Dino Discovery Lab

11/11 or 12/2

Educational Outreach

9/25, 10/15, 11/6 or 1/23

Egypt - Mummies

10/15, 11/5, 11/27 or 12/11

Indiana's Ponds and Wetlands

10/28, 11/18 or 12/9

James Whitcomb Riley, the Hoosier Poet

10/30

Lots and Lots of Fossils

10/21, 11/4 or 11/25

Native Americans - Their Lives and Ours

10/4, 10/10, 10/16 or 11/1

Meet the International Space Station

12/6

Simple Machines

10/17, 10/29 or 11/26

Weather Watchers

9/27, 10/18, 11/8 or 1/24

Young Hoosier Award Winning Author - Robert Blake 11/7 Young Hoosier Award Winning Author - Peg Kehret 11/7 Young Hoosier Award Winning Author - Sharon Draper 11/7

Indiana State Museum

Chinasaurs

9/13 or 9/19

Communications - Past, Present and Future 10/17, 11/7, 11/18, 12/2, 12/9, 1/16 or 1/21

9/24, 10/24, 10/29, 11/21, 12/5, 12/20, 1/23 or 1/28

Indiana's Civil War Soldiers

Investigating the Past with Project Archaeology – Artifact Classification

10/25, 11/15, 12/13 or 1/31

Journey to Indiana 1800 – 1850

10/10, 10/22, 10/31, 11/8, 12/17, 12/19, 1/10 or 1/14

Looking at Adam Albright – An American Impressionist

11/12, 11/26, 12/6 or

12/10

Measuring Up to Ice Age Animals 9/27, 10/18, 11/22 or 1/17

Who's Who in Indiana

10/3, 10/8, 11/1, 1/9 or 1/30

Indianapolis Art Center

Art on the Computer

By Request

Customized Programs

By Request

Exhibit View - Ellie Siskind: Portraits of Indianapolis

By Request

Exhibit View -Homage to Unsung Heroes

Exhibit View - Figurations: M. Ivan Cherry and Doug Smithenry 12/13 - 1/1211/8 - 12/8

Exhibit View – New Fauves: Brian Joiner and Amos Miller

12/13 - 1/12

Exhibit View – Ordinary Heroes 9/3 - 11/15

Fine Art Demonstrations and Hands-on Activities

By Request

Shakespeare in My Room

By Request

Indianapolis Museum of Art

Dream Big - Art and Martin Luther King's Vision

Eye Wonder - The Art of Science

The Good Life

The IMA as a Resource

Make Your Mark

One the Wall - Drawing on Math

Royal Riddles in African Art

Speak to Lean Game Show

Training Camp – Academic Decathlon

Training Camp - Academic Superbowl

What's Your Sign? - Decoding Medieval Imagery

International Studies for Indiana Schools

Program by Request

By Request

All IMA programming is by request.

IU School of Medicine

People and Pineapples – Genes, Traits and the Human Genome Project By Request Proteins and Privacy – Exploring the Human Genome By Request

IUPUI School of Science

Careers in Science By Request Elephant Ancestors in Indiana – Can you Dig It?

By Request

Lake County Solid Waste Management District

Aghh, Household Hazardous Waste By Request

9/12, 9/19, 10/10, 10/17 or 11/7 Environmentally Happily Ever After Finally a Fantastic, Fun, and Informative Inservice Day By Request Happy Environmental Holidays 12/3, 12/5, 12/10 or 12/12

Lunchtime with Lake County Solid Waste Management District 10/2, 11/6 or 12/4

Recycling Is Right! Competition & Celebration 11/12 or 11/15

Scales and Tales – Environment Fun with Measuring 9/25, 10/23 or 11/20

By Request Secret Potions **Squirmy Worms** 12/11

Talking Trash on Tuesdays 10/8, 10/15 or 11/5 Who Wants to Be an Environmentalist 11/13 or 11/14

Madame Walker Theatre

By Request Indiana Avenue Jazz Heritage Costume Design for Black Nativity By Request

Storybook to Stage By Request

Mike Downs Enterprises

Colonel Alfred Wade – A Hoosier Hero in the Civil War By Request

Minnetrista Cultural Center & Oakhurst Gardens

An Unusual Pioneer Story 10/23, 11/8 or 1/23

Botanical Illustration - Plant Observation & Drawing, an Opportunity for Art and 10/21, 11/4, 1/13 or 1/27

Science Integration

Monarch Mania 9/18 or 9/24

Tremendous Tree ID 10/8, 10/10, 10/16 or 10/18

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ISD Daily News

A teacher affects eternity; she can never tell where her influence stops.

- Henry Adams

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Friday, September 6, 2002

7:30

10:30

Today's Case Conferences

H. Nicholson

J. Chen



8:15 Continuation of 6+1 Trait Writing Workshop (8:15 – 3:00)

12:30 Classes Dismiss for Students

1:00 Components of a Quality Literacy Program and Bringing Kids and Books Together

Maneuver with Mathematics: An Overview

Main Library is closed.

2:00 Donna Stutler's Farewell Party Outside of Judy Cass's Office (2:00 – 4:00)

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Middle School – Pamela Gatto High School – Mary Kovatch

This Working Off Committee

The following staff are attending the 6 + 1 Trait Writing Workshop today:

- Linda Cooper (Elem) sub is Ted Myhre
- Amy Fenicle (Elem) sub is Don Lehnerz
- Danielle Griska (Elem) sub is Joy Lehnerz
- ❖ Jeff King (Elem) Mike McGeath & Kathleen Robertson will cover
- Toni Wolfe (Elem) sub is Beth Beyke
- Carol Keller (MS) sub is Linda Krieger
- Pamela Gatto (MS) Laura Kesterke will cover
- Denise Hibbitt (MS) sub is Kristyn Noblitt
- Carrie Martin (MS) sub is Vera Masters
- Suzanne Bono (HS) sub is Pat Cooper
- ❖ Jim Frenchik (HS) sub is Lane Grover
- ❖ Mary Kovatch (HS) sub is Chuck Daube
- * Rachel Powers (HS) Bruce Peters will cover
- Debbie Willman (HS) sub is Brenda Tress-Mowl

Staff Absence

Preschool Lucy Kramer

Elementary Malcolm Peters (Jennifer Jenkins will sub.)

Marci Hawkins

Middle School Sondra Gullion High School Linda Lloyd Mary Power

Jerry Backus (Leaving at 12:30)

Principal's Office Outreach



Sports Update Varsity Volleyball –

Cafeteria Line Will Close Early on Friday

The Brown Cafeteria Serving Line will close at 12:30 p.m. on Friday, September 6th due to the workshop, "Bringing Kids and Books Together", that starts at 1:00 in Brown Cafeteria. This will allow time for clean-up. Thanks. **Junior Varsity Volleyball** – It was a boring game for us. WE beat Arlington very easily with a score of 21-4 for both games. Emily Schultz, Katie LEchner, and Amanda Krieger served most of the time and won the games. We hope to play a better team next time. Our record is 3 - 1.

High School Cross Country – The ISD Cross Country Team competed at Covenant Christian yesterday. It was our second meet but our first away meet this year. ISD placed 3rd as team out of four teams (Ritter, Heritage Christian and Coveant Christian). Individual results were:

- Bradley Gantt got 8th place 20:25
- Matthew Bratton got 22nd place 23:27
- Stanley Mangold got 24th place 24:32
- CL Young got 25th place 24:34
- Drew Robarge got 26th place 24:44

The boys said the trail was too complicated to run but they made it! Our next meet will be at Tri-West on September 11.

7th/8th Girls Volleyball - We played against an experienced team, St. Richards School. We lost in the first game, 7-21, making several defense errors. We worked harder and improved in the second game, 21-18. In the third game, we tried to stop a several strong serves but lost 11-21. The Player of the Game was Nukeitra Hayes. Our record is 3-4. - Coach Leithia Whited

4th - 6th Grade Volleyball - We opened the game against St. Richards with a lost match of 20 - 22. During the 2nd game, we worked very hard to keep the ball alive and managed to beat them 21 - 17. During the final game, we lost 15 - 21 because of 'mental' mistakes which could be avoided easily. However, making mistakes helped us improve our skills and increase our knowledge about volleyball.

Location Changed – The location of Friday's workshop, the Components of a Quality Literacy Program and Bringing Kids and Books Together from 1;00 pm to 3;00 pm, has changed. The workshop will be held in the Brown Cafeteria (not the auditorium). Brown Cafeteria will close at 12:30 in preparation for the workshop. Sorry for any inconvenience that this causes

Gallaudet Reading Workshop – Two people have registered for the Gallaudet Reading Workshop, Part 1. The two are Karen Oberly, who is a teacher in Plymouth, Indiana, and Cynthia Van Manen, who is a case Conference Coordinator at ISD. We need at least 15 participants for the workshops and can hold up to 40. You can pay on the day of the workshop. Elementary and Middle School staff are strongly encouraged to attend. See Glenda Zmijewski or Diane Hazel Jones for more details!

Interpreter Shortage - The Deaf Heritage Festival starts Friday, Sept. 27. Interpreters will be difficult to acquire during the Deaf Heritage Festival. If it can be avoided, please try not to schedule an interpreter after 11:00 am on that day. Thank-you for your cooperation. - Amy Mattern, Interpreter Coordinator

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More Distance Learning Events this Semester

Indianapolis Zoo

Amazing Amazon 9/30, 10/16, 11/18 or 1/27 Animal Adaptations 11/19 **Animal Tales** 1/15 **Bear Basics** 9/17

11/5 or 1/14 Birds of Prev

Career Moves - Animal Keeper 12/4 **Dolphin Trainer** 11/6 Career Moves - Zoo Vet 10/1 Classification – Amphibians 10/2 Classification - Birds 10/22 Classification - Fish 10/8 Classification - Reptiles 10/15 Classification - Mammals 10/29

Coral Reef 11/20 or 1/21

Deserts 11/11

Dynamic Dolphins 12/2 or 12/3

Elephants 9/25

Endangered Species 10/9 or 11/12

Habitat Design 9/24

Holiday Story – Stranger in the Woods 12/10 or 12/17

Holiday Story - The Mitten 12/9 or 12/16

October Special - Not-So-Scary Animal Show 10/30 or 10/31

Plants, Plants, Plants 9/18, 11/4 or 12/18 Polar Bear - Giant of the Arctic 1/6, 1/7 or 1/8

Seal v. Sea Lion 10/21 Snakes 9/16 or 1/28

9/23, 10/23, 11/13,12/11, 1/13 or 1/22 **Tuxedo Junction** 11/25 or 11/26

What Do Animals Do in the Winter?

OASIS

America's Challenges - America on Alert

Battle of Gettysburg

A Discussion with a Holocaust Survivor

Doctoring in the Wilderness From Kings to Emperors

Immortal Memory of Robert Burns - An Overview

Indiana - The Volunteer State

Indiana's Transportation System - Territorial days to 1847

Invasions and Occupations -The Molding of Britain

Lincoln at Gettysburg

Low Bridge, Everybody Down! - Indiana's Canal System

The Many Faces of President Lincoln

A Night at Ford's Theatre – The Assassination of President Lincoln

Recollections of the Civil War

Romanization of Britain

All of OASIS programming is by request.

Southport High School

Valerie Marsh, Storyteller

Creative Writing and Storytelling Empowering Children to Tell Stories By Request 9/20, 10/14, 11/12 or 12/11

Walden Theatre

Discover the Mysteries of Greek Theatre

By request

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- Gloria Steinem

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Monday, September 9, 2002



3:15 Mid-Term Reports are due.

Today's Case Conferences

9:00 T. Hazzard Testing
10:00 M. Griffith CC
1:00 J. Messer CC
1:30 Z. Whitt HE
4:00 V. Kelso HE f/u

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Middle School

High School Mary Powers

Rachele Power

Rita Mowl - sub is Vera Masters

Principal's Office Dan Stutler
Outreach Molly Peters
Ball State Beth Adams

Katie Russell



<u>Parent Workshop</u> – On Thursday night 21 parents and staff attended the 6+1 Trait Writing Workshop. Attending were: Janet Schwall, Gary and Carol Analco, Jodee Crace, Kelli Phillips, Debbie Longfellow, Lori Dille, Beth Slaven, Molly Peters, Jean Cordano, Mark Olvey, Andrea Singer, Mary Dall, Mari Jo Pickering, Sharon Schuitema, JV Bippus, Judy Cass, Darrick DuBois, DuWycia Wilson, Hillel Goldberg, Eddie King and Diane Jones. Dear Parent: A Handbook for Parents of Six-Trait Writing Students is

available for parents who attended. Diane Jones will order some books, and she has an extra copy for parents in her office. Comments from Parents: Now I can use the same language at home that the teachers are using in school. I want to have a follow up workshop in the spring with ISD staff who have been trained. Wonderful workshop!!!!!

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Outreach Building Closed on Wednesday - Please note that the Assessment Building will be locked all day on Wednesday, September 11th and Friday, September 13th. The Outreach Department will be attending a Strategic Planning meeting both days at Damar where Donna Stutler is now employed.

For Students

Up to \$10,000 Scholarships – Four \$10,000 scholarships and over 2,100 \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded in the "Target All-Around Scholarships for Students" program. The deadline is November 1, 2002. Contact: http://target.com/target_group/community_giving/scholarship.jhtml.

For Hispanic Students – The Hispanic Scholarship Fund awards scholarships to students of Hispanic heritage. The deadline is October 15, 2002. Contact: www.hsf.net/scholarship/Collegeretention.html.

For Parents and Parents

Free Resources for Educators – Hundreds of federally supported teaching and learning resources can be found at www.ed.gov/free/.

Stimulate Children to Read – The Library of Congress' website has games and activities to stimulate interest in America's past. Each activity refers participants to books related to the subject of an activity. Contact; www.americaslibrary.gov.

Free Alliance Building Tool Kit – "Connect for Success: Building Teacher, Parent, ten Alliance" offers strategies and tools to help teachers improve parent participation. Contact; www.recruitingteachers.org/news/2002toolkit.html.

Thanks to Linda Charlebois for these opportunities!



ISD Daily News

The secret of education is respecting the student. – Ralph Waldo Emerson

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Tuesday, September 10, 2002

Today's Adivities

9:00 Ed Team Meeting (9:00)

5:00 MS Football with Christian Park Irish

Today's Case Conferences

9:30 a.m. T. Smart Asses 10:00 a.m. B. Shelley ACR 1:00 p.m. N. Hayes CC3 1:00 p.m. A. Lewis ACR 2:30 p.m. S. Morris ACR 3:00 p.m. S. Ruddy ACR

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Principal's Office

Outreach

Dan Stutler



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- Ashley DeBeck from the Tampa Bay Academy in Florida will be on campus to tell counselors (and other interested staff) about the Academy's programs. She will meet Ruth Asher-Lynch me at 10:00 am.



We cannot always build the future for our youth, but we can build our youth for the future. – Franklin D,. Roosevelt

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Wednesday, September 11, 2002



- 8:00 The Outreach department will be on a retreat off campus today.
- 10:15 MS & HS Activity Period Focusing on WHAT'S GREAT
- ABOUT AMERICA9/11
 3:30 Department Meetings (3:20)
- 4:30 HS Volleyball at Covenant Christian (4:30/5:30)
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SRC Duty

Middle School

Lunch -

After School - Chris Walters

High School

Lunch – Suzanne Bono After School – Sharon Baker

Zen's Working On Campus

• The staff from the Outreach Department will be at an all-day retreat today (September 11) and Friday, September 13.

New Family Orientation

Saturday, September 14 12 noon-6 pm Distance Learning Lab

CHILD CARE WORKERS NEEDED

Staff Absences

Preschool

Elementary

Malcolm Peters (Jennifer Jenkins will sub.)
Deneese Krum (Don Lehnerz will sub.)
Tim Harrold (Chuck Daube will sub.)

Middle School
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Retreat for the Outreach Department – The staff from the Outreach Department will be at an all-day retreat today (September 11) and Friday, September 13.

Gallaudet Reading Workshop - There are almost 30 people signed up for the Gallaudet Reading Workshop on October 5 from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. Please email Diane Jones as soon as possible if you plan to attend. We can accommodate up to 40 people. Thanks.

AUL Representative at ISD – Earl Cornelius will be at ISD on Thursday, September 12, 2002, from 9 am to 3pm, in the hallway across from G-19 in Bldg 6. He will be introducing a new associate, Mike, to help him answer any questions about your AUL or sign up any new interested members. An interpreter will ONLY be available in the morning from 9 am to 11 am. NO interpreter will be available in the afternoon.

Congratulations! - On Sunday afternoon, September 8th, six high school students and three staff members completed the requirements for Advanced Open Water Scuba Diving Certification. A total of 5 dives were required for the advanced certification. Four of the dives were completed in Florida and the final dive was completed at Hidden Paradise in St. Paul, Indiana. They did five boat dives in Florida, which were all

"drift" dives, drifting along the coral reefs with the ocean current. The drift dives included a wreck dive, a deep dive past 80 feet, and a night dive where most of the group saw a 6-foot nurse shark. In Hidden Paradise, they completed an advanced underwater navigation dive. The high school students and ISD staff receiving their advanced scuba certification are:

Jarrad AbneyNick CurtinDrew RobargeLindsey DoughertyAnastasia GreenbergPia Marie PauloneBrian CollinsDeb RobargeTeresa Huckleberry.

Congratulations - We are very pleased to announce that William (Bill) Henderson has been promoted to permanent Housekeeping Supervisor. He has been a housekeeper for the past three and half years and was the Housekeeping Supervisor at New Castle State Development Center for several years prior to transferring to ISD. In his new position he will assume the additional responsibilities of supervising our Housekeeping staff, inspecting and keeping ISD clean! – Andrew Metz

Thank You! -

Dear ISD Staff,

Thank you so much for making my final day at ISD a day that I will always remember. It was so nice to be able to see all of you and share good times and memories. My twenty-nine years at ISD have been great. I have been able to learn a wide variety of skills and have had the opportunity to work with so many fantastic people. You all are great! Keep up the good work and always strive for the best.

Thank you so much for the kind gifts and the great food at the party. I took my plaque to work with me today. I have proudly put it in an area so that I see it daily. You are all so kind and generous. Again, thanks for everything. I will never forget my "family" at ISD. – Donna Stutler

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!! - Before we start on the last chapter of 2002 IMS (U.S. Grand Prix Formula One (F-1)), we want to thank every one for helping out as volunteers during the past two races. We will not be working at Stand 299 during the F-1 race, because it will be used as a catering building to feed the F-1 drivers and teams. IMS is trying to locate us to a similar set up as we had in Stand 299. Due to the unofficial information and short period left to the F-1 race, we are recruiting 56 volunteers now so that we can be ready. If more is needed, it will be easier to fill. Please sign up now and select your preference. When we get further information, we will pass it along to you by email. We would like to acknowledge all the volunteers that helped ISD's Athletic program. You as volunteers have made a tremendous contribution and we are very grateful. Without the hardworking volunteers, we could not have raised \$ 12,000.00 in 20 days. This program works, and we want to continue doing it next year. Again thanks to all the volunteers for their time and efforts.

The breakdown of volunteers is listed below:

Friday, September 27th - 16 volunteers (Practice)

Saturday, September 28th - 20 volunteers (Practice/Qualification)

Sunday, September 29th - 20 volunteers (Race Day)

Please give us your choices in order of preferred dates that you will work as volunteer. You can give us only one or two or three preferred dates, but please do give us your preferred choices in order. IT WILL BE FIRST COME FIRST SERVE! Send your preferred dates and choices to Ken Kramer (Kenneth.Kramer@DFAS.Mil) and Rod Squire (RCSQUIRE@MSN.COM) no later than Sunday, September 8th. **Don't Delay!** Please be sure that you will be available on that day you are assigned. If you have any question, please don't hesitate to ask us.



"For the Love of Kids" - I saw this info in Indy's Child Sept 2002 issue. Thought I should share this with you all and see if you are interested. I called them and they said that they will provide ASL interpreter for each of us. So please contact them if you are interested!

"For the Love of Kids" The Villages' Conference on Practical Parenting Saturday, October 26th 2002

9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Indiana Convention Center, Indianapolis

Featuring:

- * Nationally Acclaimed Parenting Experts
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- Lunch and gift bags included!

They also will provide childcare; the fee is \$10.00 per child. If you can find *Indy's Child* (September 2002 issue), there's a registration form in it or you could register through the Internet at www.villages.org
Please share this with your friends! Hope to see you there.

Questions? Call 1-888-265-FLOK (3565) – JV Bippus



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Remembering September 11

Coping with the loss, death, and grief associated with the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001, is a process, not an event (National Association of School Psychologists, 2001a; Pfohl, Jimerson, & Lazarus, 2002; Wolfelt, 2002). Thus, it is critically important for professional educators working with acutely traumatized students to continually consider how to help youth deal with lingering reactions to these national tragedies. In particular, the one-year anniversary of these attacks will present unique challenges to this coping process. This article identifies these challenges, and presents ideas and resources to facilitate healthy coping and healing. These suggestions will be especially important for educators working with students who either witnessed the events of September 11th or had close relationships with victims of the attacks. However, this article also gives guidance to educators working with students who were not acute psychological trauma victims.

The "Anniversary Effect"

The intensity of traumatic memories and crisis reactions typically fades over time. However, memories of a traumatic event never completely go away, and a variety of life events can re-trigger intense reactions to the trauma (Young, 1998). For example, it is not unusual to observe sudden changes in behavior and emotions as survivors approach the one-year anniversary of a traumatic event. This "anniversary effect" may find survivors (including both adults and children) re-experiencing many of the same intense feelings and reactions that were associated with the original trauma. Individuals who have, as a result of the traumatic event, developed Post-traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) are particularly vulnerable to the anniversary effect. The person with PTSD may be symptom free for many months, but then begin to display related symptoms as anniversary events approach. Not surprisingly, existing symptoms tend to occur more intensely and frequently at these times (Matsakis, 1994; Smith, 1996). This reality can come as a surprise to both trauma victims and their caregivers who may have just begun to believe that their lives have returned to normal (National Institute of Mental Health, 2001; National Organization for Victim Assistance, 2001). Cynthia Monahon (1993) has suggested that underlying a child's anniversary reactions is the fearful sense that the trauma might recur. This fear may be especially acute on the anniversary of last

year's attacks given that national leaders have suggested future acts of aggression to be a very real possibility. Thus, it is particularly important to be prepared to help our young people cope.

Anniversary Reactions

As the anniversary of last September's attacks approaches, educators should expect that children they care for, as well as themselves, may display many of the same crisis reactions demonstrated immediately after the attacks. Thus, to the extent that initial reactions were acute there will be more of a need to prepare for anniversary reactions. Conversely, to the extent that initial reactions were minimal there will be less of a need for such preparation.

Not surprisingly anniversary reactions appear to occur more frequently among individuals with greater exposure to the traumatic event (Morgan, Kingham, Nicolaou, & Southwick, 1998). They may include emotional numbness, fear, guilt, anger and resentment, depression and loneliness, isolation, physical symptoms of distress, and an inability to maintain normal activities (Office for Victims of Crime, 2001). Other relatively rare anniversary reactions include suicidal and homicidal thinking, and psychosis (Gabriel, 1992). In some cases, anniversary reactions may indicate unresolved grief or incomplete mourning (Azarian, Miller, McKinsey, Skiptchenko-Gregorian, & Bilyeu, 1999; Gabriel, 1992; Smith, 1996). It is possible for the anniversary to trigger delayed onset PTSD. Given this possibility, educators and other caregivers should be especially sensitive to symptoms of this disorder. According to the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry (2000), these symptoms include:

- School refusal and excessive "clinging"
- Persistent fears related to the catastrophe
- Sleep disturbances such as nightmares, screaming during sleep, and bedwetting
- Irritability and loss of concentration
- Being easily startled and jumpy
- Atypical behavior problems
- Physical complaints for which a physical cause cannot be found
- Withdrawal from family and friends
- Sadness, listlessness, and decreased activity
- Preoccupation with the events of the disaster

(Taken from http://www.msnbc.com/news/648300.asp#kids.)

ISD Daily News

A child's life is like a piece of paper on which every passerby leaves a mark. - Chinese Proverb

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Thursday, September 12, 2002

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HS Volleyball at Sheridan (5:30/6:30) 5:30

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Monica Byrum

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BSU Participants

Holly Wolsierfer



Sports Update

Varsity Girls Volleyball - On this special day in memory of 9/11, we visited Covenant Christian full of USA spirit and opened the game with a blaze. We jumped on them early and coasted to easy win, 21 - 10. The 2nd game was even better for us as we were able to execute more exciting plays, 21 - 14. We calmed down a bit too much and let them rally to a lead 1 - 7 before a team pep talk got us back on track to lead at 16 - 14. Erica Hossler and Pia Paulone combined for their season best, 12 kills and 16 assists respectively. Everybody contributed in the final win, 21 - 18. Our record is 8 - 2. The Player of the Match was Erica Hossler with 12 kills, 90% serving, 6 points and 1 ace.

7th/8th Grade Girls Volleyball - We visited Traders' Point Christian Academy yesterday. We played well and won the first game, 21-15. Unfortunately, we made careless mistakes in the second game, which ended 17-21. In the third game, we struggled to stay alive but lost, 16-21. Our record is 1-3.

4th-6th Grade Volleyball - Yesterday, we played against Traders Point and finally tasted our first victory: 21-13 and 21-14. The opponent asked us to play the third game for pleasure. We still beat Traders Point 21-14. Improvements are evident in our team, especially serving. We accomplished some three passes. High 5 to our team! We have home game against Bethesda today at 4:30 pm. Come and root for us!

Today's Visitors - A family, who has been receiving home visits, will come and visit the Preschool department. They will join the Nursery School class in the morning.

ISD Daily News

Experience is the name everyone gives to mistakes.

- Oscar Wilde

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Friday, September 13, 2002

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7:30 Varsity Football at Union Dugger

Directions to Union Dugger - Take I-70 west to Terre Haute, then 41S to Sullivan. At the junction of 41 and 54 on the south

side of Sullivan take 54 to Dugger. Turn left at Kerns Gas Station as you enter Dugger. The school is 1/2 mile on the left side. The address and phone number are 7356 E. Co Rd 50 S, Dugger, IN 47848 and (812-648-2729)

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High School

Dave Morphew

Principal's Office

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Sports Update

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brilliance of our veterans and inspiring plays from our froshies. The first game was nail-biting as leads changed more than I change my son's diapers each day. We finally ended the game at 24 - 22. The 2nd game was a breeze for us as we ran away with a 21 - 10 win. In the next game, our focus derailed a bit as they caught us off guard, 14 - 21. In the 4th and final game, we gained our composure and extended our lead to 20 - 14 but couldn't nail them down until Micaela sent a squeaky set to close their coffin, 21 - 19. Erica tied her own school record with 16 kills in a match. Our record is 9 -2. The Player of the Match was Pia Marie Paulone with 18 assists, 10 kills, 4 aces and 100% serving.

JV Girls Volleyball Last night we played Sheridan and lost 1-2. Ellen made 5 assists and Katie & April made 3 kills. The score were 6-21, 21-17 and 11-21. Our record is 3-3. Our next match is Tuesday at Heritage Christian.

7th/8th Girls Volleyball - We had an exciting game with Bethesda yesterday. Finally, after the drought of three straight losses, we defeated the team.22-20 and 21-14. We improved our defense and stayed together as a team. The Player of the Game is Leah Grandt. She made 19 serves (nine in the first game and ten straight in the second game).

From Wednesday Evening

JV Girls Volleyball - We had 3 new players on the court against Covenant Christian. It was a struggle for us to finally become a full team. The girls' minds were not on the game at the beginning, but the chemistry got better as the game progressed. We finally played hot in the 1st game but lost 19-21. In the 2nd game we lost our chemistry and lost badly 5-21. Our record is 3-2.

HS Cross Country – It was perfect weather for our meet against Tri-West and Speedway. Nineteen boys raced each other. Our team got 3rd place. Bradley Gantt placed 7th with a time of 21:56, and Nick Curtin placed 10th with 23:36. Both won ribbons. Drew Robarge placed 12th with 23:57; Matt Bratton placed 13th - 24:10. C.L. Young placed 14th - 24:14; Cory West placed 18th - 30:45. Brendan O'Conner placed 19th - 30:52. Our next home meet will be at ISD vs University High School on September 17th. Come and watch our ISD Cross Country running!

We improved with more assists, kills and a block. Our record is 2-3. Way to go, ladies!!!!

4th-6th Volleyball Team - Playing against Bethesda yesterday, we won one out of three games 21-12, 18-21, 19-21. The last two games were exciting. Even though the girls were very disappointed, they did their best.

Retreat for the Outreach Department – The staff from the Outreach Department will be at an all-day retreat today.

STUDENT LIFE'S AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS

3:15 PM. -10:00 PM

<u>IMPORTANT REMINDER</u>: Please contact our staff when you plan to keep your students in school after 3:15 p.m. for tutoring, SRC or any other reasons.

Contact Information

DAY STUDENTS - Hillel Goldberg or Eddie King, Student Development Coordinators

RESIDENTIAL STUDENTS - Robert Acquafredda or Marty Jerigan, Assistant Deans

DAY STUDENTS STAYING OVERNIGHT IN THE DORM - Robert Acquafredda or Marty Jernigan,
Assistant Deans

General	Information	for MS	2H &	Students
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3: 15 – 3:45 PM All Day students who plan to participate in afterschool programs and

Residential students must check in at the Oriole's Nest in the 2nd Floor Co-ed

Lounge

Snack Bar is open.

3:45 – 5:00 PM High School students have seven options to join after school clubs from

Mondays to Thursdays (Resource Center, Arts and Crafts, Cooking, Athletics,

Mini- course #1, Mini- course #2, or Student Work Programs)

Middle School students have three options to join after school clubs from

Mondays through Thursdays.

MONDAYS - Cooking, Resource Center, or Athletics

TUESDAYS - Arts and Crafts, Resource Center or Athletics

WEDNESDAYS - Mini- course#1, Resource Center or Athletics

THURSDAYS - Mini-course #2, Resource Center or Athletics

6:15 – 7:15 PM High School students have educational sessions or free play in the KRC except

for every Wednesday when all students are require to attend Jr. NAD

meetings.

6:30 – 7:30 PM Middle School Student Study Hour

7:30 – 8:30 PM Middle School Student Intramural/ Recreational Programs, Social Skill Sessions

or Educational Sessions

High School Student Study Hour

8:30 – 9:30 PM High School Student Intramural/ Recreational Programs

Alumnus Passes - Ray D. Nelson, 73, passed away at the Community East Hospital, Indianapolis this morning (Sept. 12). He graduated from ISD in 1947. Calling will be from 4 to 7 pm Friday at Shirley

Bothers Irvington Hill Chapel, 5377 East Washington Street, Indianapolis, and services will be at 12 noon on Saturday at the Buchanan Funeral Home in Jacksonville, Illinois.



Building Community for September 11 - As Hoosiers remember the events of one year ago, most of us find we have re-assessed our priorities with relationships firmly at the top of the list. We're looking ahead with hope to the future, determining where we want to be by our bicentennial in 2016 and just how we can get there. The link below is the latest issue of the "Building Community" newsletter, produced by the Indiana 2016 initiative. The bi-monthly newsletter features articles on the many ways Hoosiers are strengthening their communities through involvement in an array of programs, initiatives and opportunities. We hope you'll take a moment to check out our special September issue of "Building Community" at: http://www.in.gov/2016/monthly/. - Jonathan Swain, Chief of Staff/Press Secretary, Office of the First Lady

There is no more noble profession than teaching. A great teacher is a great artist, but his medium is not a canvas. It is a human soul.

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Monday, September 16, 2002

Today's Case Conferences

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High School

Principal's Office Kathleen Robertson

Pam Lewis (Leaving at 9:30)

Outreach

Cindy Lawrence Shannon Stafford

Ball State

Katie Russell



Sports Update

6-8th Grade Football - On September 12th, 2000, our ISD 6th, 7th and 8th Grade Football Team played Heritage Christian at Hertiage Christian School. We had only 15 players, and HC had more than 30 players. Our players played hard as mules; they did not give up even after they got bruises on their hands, legs, and bodies. Our players kept improving their performances in every quarter. I was impressed with our bold players. HC won the game, and the score was 22 to 14. I feel that we won the game because our players played so hard, and they had good sportmanship too. Our score was better than last year because the score was 0 to 40. We will have five more games, and all games will be at home. The games will start at 4:45 and 5:00pm. Come and support 6th, 7th and 8th grade players! - John Fenicle

Today's Visitors - Five Resident Doctors from the IU School of Medicine will be visiting today from 8:30 – 10:00 am.

		ASL Class Schedule for 2002-03			
Course Title	Department	Day	Time	Instructor	Location
ASL I	Health Center	T	12:15 – 1:15 AM	Saunders	Health Center
ASL I	Open	W	9:30 – 10:20 AM	Rork	ASL Center
ASL I	Open	Th	2:15 – 3:05 PM	Rork	ASL Center
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Seminar	Outreach	Th	12:00 – 1:00 PM	Wood	Assessment Center

Notes

- ✓ Classes will begin the week of September 23, 2002.
- ✓ Registration will be conducted at first day of class.
- ✓ Bring textbooks and videotapes if you received them from last year's classes. For those not taking classes last year, textbooks and videotapes will be distributed at the first day of class after registration.
- ✓ Do inform supervisor and/or obtain supervisor approval.

Questions were raised on what "Open" means on the ASL Class schedule sent out this morning.

Open means that the class is open to any staff member from any department on campus at ISD.

For parents, flyers will be sent out from Diane Jones and Diana Battiste announcing the schedule of ASL classes for parents.

For individuals from the community, there are two options at ISD. The first is the IAD ASL Program and course offerings (Cindy Squire). The second is credit-earning courses offered by Vincennes University (Ann Reifel).

We worry about what a child will be tomorrow; yet, we forget he is someone today. – Stacia Tausher

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Ron Borron (Lane Grover will sub.)

Carole Morgan (Late) Linda Lloyd (Late)

Principal's Office Outreach

Diane Jones



Today's Visitor s -

A family with a two-year old will visit the Parent Infant Program and Preschool. They will join the Nursery School class for the morning.

Ashley DeBeck from the Tampa Bay Academy in Florida will be on campus to tell counselors (and other interested staff) about the Academy's programs. She will meet Ruth Asher-Lynch me at 10:00 am.

Several medical students will be visiting from 8:30 to 11:30 am.

Indianapolis Marion County Public Library - Work will begin soon on the NEW Central Library. The current downtown Central Library will be closed for business until December 2002, and will reopen in the old City Hall/State Museum Building. This will be their 'home' for the next three years. During this time, services will be curtailed. Basic services such as checking materials in and out will continue. The library will be open fewer hours (see below). There will be no children's programs or class visits in the interim location. Services in the branch libraries will continue as usual. The new expanded Central Library is scheduled to open in January 2006.

INTERIM CENTRAL LIBRARY HOURS OF OPERATION:

 Monday and Tuesday
 9:00 am - 9:00 pm

 Wednesday-Friday
 9:00 am - 6:00 pm

 Saturday
 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

 Sunday
 1:00 am 5;0 pm

Alumni Hall Library Closed - The library will be closed from 8:00 am to 12:00 pm next week Monday through Thursday. The library will be open afternoons and all day on Friday.

Teachers Credit Union — A representative from the Teachers Credit Union will be here Wednesday, September 25th from 11:30 am to 2:00 pm. If you want to see Michelle Strever, please come to Bldg 6 in the basement hallway across from G-19. An interpreter will be available during her visit.

Old Magazine Needed – Many classes at ISD are in need of old magazines to use for projects. The Main Library has some old magazines to use, but they re mostly news magazines. If you have magazines to donate, such as National Geographic, Ranger Rick, Good Housekeeping...anything but news magazines, we would gratefully accept them. – Laura Kesterke

15 Principles of Reading to Deaf Children - There are twelve more openings for the October 5 workshop. The following people have already registered. ISD Staff: Cynthia Van Manen, David Geeslin, Chris Fetzer, Amy Fenicle, USC, Joyce Levy, Rebecca Philhower, Dan Stutler, Diane Jones

ISD Parents: Jeanie Jeter, Carol and Gary Analco, Angela Dennin, Teresa Barrett, Karen and Derek Grandt Outside ISD: 12. You pay for the workshop on the day of the workshop. We can hold up to 40. RSVP to Diane and checks go to ISD for non ISD staff.

ASL Classes for Parents - Beginning on September 23, 2002 through May on Mondays from 8:30 am for Beginners and 9:30 am for Advanced Beginners. The instructor will be Alan Rork and the class will be in Room 115 in the Preschool Building. Contact Diane Jones for more information at dhjones@isfd.state.in.us or 1-317-924-8418.





2002 HANDS ALIVE! Young Deaf Arts Festival

Videotape Order Form

HANDS ALIVE! is now selling videotapes of 2002 Young Deaf Arts Festival – Talent Shows. These videotapes only focus on talent shows that occurred during the week of March 4 – 7, 2002. There are three different sets of videotapes that you can order. They are as follows: Elementary Talent Show and Finale, Middle School Talent Show and Finale, and High School Talent Show and Finale.

Videotape costs \$12.00.

Fill in the information on this order form below.

Checks should be made out to "Indiana School for the Deaf – HANDS ALIVE!"

You must pay for the videotapes <u>before</u> they will be processed.

Please allow 2 – 3 weeks for processing of videotapes.

For more information, you may e-mail dfetzer@isfd.state.in.us.

Deadline for ordering videotapes is October 31, 2002.

Mail form and payment to:

Debbie K. Fetzer

Indiana School for the Deaf
1200 E. 42nd Street
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Name:	*	
Street Address:	MANUAL MA	
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Type of Videotape:	Quantity:	
Elementary and Finale		
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Total Number of Videotapes = _____ x \$12.00 = ____ (Total Price)

I am not a teacher but an awakener. - Robert Frost

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Thursday, September 19, 2002

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Lucy Kramer (Ted Myhre will sub.)
Patricia Collins (Linda Krieger will sub.)

Elementary

Malcolm Peters (Brenda Tress-Mowl will sub.)

Middle School -

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Deb Willman (Late)

Principal's Office -

Outreach - Di

Diane Jones Judy Cass

Cindy Lawrence

BSU Participants Myriah Dixon

Michele Ray



Master Calendar - Please submit your Master Calendar forms with complete information and your authority's approval to Melba Bippus in the Student Life Center. Thanks!

New Phone Books - New Yellow Page phones books are available in Alumni Hall outside Room G23. Help yourself to one.

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"NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND" SERIES PREMIERE

This is an exciting program with parents and educators who are doing what it takes to improve American education....

- A new monthly television series;
- A focus on information and resources of value to parents and families;
- Features brief segments, including one-on-one interviews, "how-to" demonstrations, more video and graphics, and brief conversations with parents, educators, community, business and religious leaders, and education experts;

The series will be broadcast on the third Tuesday of each month during the school year from 7:00 pm – 8:00 pm Central Time. It is also rebroadcast on the Discovery Networks' TLC (The Learning Channel), the Channel One Network, and some Public Broadcasting Service (PBS) stations

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Pam Burchett and Lori Dille will participate in a transition panel for First Steps in the morning.

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Suzi McGeath (Joy Lehnerz will sub.)

Middle School

High School Bruce Peters

Ron Borron (Lane Grover will sub.)

Rocky Murray (Late)

Principal's Office

Outreach



Sports Update

HS Cross Country - What a good Cross Country competition yesterday! A total of 17 boys from ISD, University High School and Howe Academy were in the race. ISD got second place over University. University scored 25 points, ISD got 36 points and Howe got an Incomplete. Our ISD runners have improved their timing greatly!

C.L. Young placed 4th - 21:22 Matt Bratton placed 5th - 21:24 Nick Curtin placed 6th - 21:43 Drew Robarge placed 9th - 23:24 Jeremy Wright placed 12th - 24:56 Brendan O'Connor placed 15th - 29:30 Danny Shively placed 16th - 30:16

Our next meet will be with Covenant, Ritter and Scecina at Ellenberger Park on Thursday, September 19th.

Girls Varsity Volleyball - Today was the day Indiana VB was supposed to taste an UPSET and break the 13 years losing streak to Heritage Christian. We opened the game with shaky serve receiving and gave the game away, 14 - 21. Our 2nd game saw the girls refocused and determined as we stymied them behind Erica's 6 kills knocking them out, 21 - 12. Our next game looked similar to our opening game as we lacked in serve receiving precision and gave another "gift" to them, 16 - 21. Going up on a seesaw, we soared and exploded with 5 kills from Erica, 2 aces from Pia Marie and 2 blocks from Justine to demolish them, 21 - 10. The final game was the most exhilarating start we ever had in building an 8 - 1 lead, but we started to get nervous. They fed their best outside hitter about 15 straight times and regained the lead at 10 - 13. We suddenly got tensed and couldn't mount another comeback as they ended the game, 11 - 15. The Player of the Match was Erica Hossler with 18 kills, 2 assists, 3 aces and 93% serving efficiency. Our record: 9 - 3.

JV Volleyball – We lost 2 matches 12-21 and 17-21. The 2nd match was very competitive for both of us. We improved our 3-passes and our consistency of play on the court. Katie made 2 beautiful blocks and made points. We had great serving and made several aces. Our next game is against Park Tudor tomorrow at ISD.

7th-8th Grade Girls Volleyball - We made another victory yesterday. We defeated Heritage Christian.21-19, 19-21, and 21-8. We were able to do better in the second match, but we made a several errors that HC used to win the match. We got fired up in the third match! Our next match will at Sycamore on Thursday, September 19. Our record is 3-3.

4th-6th Grade Volleyball - We added another tally under the "W" column as we breezed through the two games against Heritage Christian 21-8 & 21-10. The games were so quick that the games were over before we realized it. We served well and managed to keep the ball alive. We learned our lesson from last Thursday's game: importance of teamwork and preparedness. During volleyball practice, we worked on developing teamwork and learned to be ready for any possibilities. Flying hands to the Oriole girls!! Our record is 2-6.

4th, 5th, and 6th grade Middle School Football - ISD played against Christian Park Irish yesterday. It was a hard fought game. Our boys weren't ready to play in the 1st quarter. Irish scored quickly 8 to 0. We made some adjustments, and they never score again. They almost got another touchdown with about 5 yards left, but our boys played a great defense so they failed to make a touchdown. Finally, we were ready to play in the 4th quarter and made a touchdown but failed two points. The score was 8 to 6. We should have scored another one, but we made some mental mistakes. We lost 8 to 6. I thought our boys did a great job and learned something about the game. We will play St. Luke next Wednesday so come out and watch our game at 4:45pm.

General Announcements for Educational Staff Members - The Professional Days in October will follow the school calendar, which was passed out at the beginning of the year. Thursday, October 24 will be a required in service day for staff while Friday, October 25 will be optional. Some other announcements are

- Mr. Stailey is investigating the possibility of establishing a foundation for ISD. He is working with the school lawyer, ISB, and Cathy Metz. More on this later.
- Please emphasize that staff exercise extreme care when borrowing, using, and returning technology materials. The Technology Center has noticed that some equipment is returned with parts/pieces missing. When this happens and the parts/pieces cannot be located, the technology is unavailable for use until replacement parts/pieces are obtained.
- The Maintenance Department will be in the process of moving from their old building to their new headquarters from September 30 October 14. During that time they will devote the majority of their manpower to moving. Emergencies will still be handled, however, routine work orders will not be processed until after the move. After that move is completed, their old buildings will be demolished.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!! - Before we start on the last chapter of 2002 IMS (U.S. Grand Prix Formula One (F-1)), we want to thank every one for helping out as volunteers during the past two races. We will not be working at Stand 299 during the F-1 race, because it will be used as a catering building to feed the F-1 drivers and teams. IMS is trying to locate us to a similar set up as we had in Stand 299. Due to the unofficial information and short period left to the F-1 race, we are recruiting 56 volunteers now so that we can be ready. If more is needed, it will be easier to fill. Please sign up now and select your preference. When we get further information, we will pass it along to you by email. We would like to acknowledge all the volunteers that helped ISD's Athletic program. You as volunteers have made a tremendous contribution and we are very grateful. Without the hardworking volunteers, we could not have raised \$ 12,000.00 in 20 days. This program works, and we want to continue doing it next year. Again thanks to all the volunteers for their time and efforts.

The breakdown of volunteers is listed below:

Friday, September 27th - 16 volunteers (Practice)

Saturday, September 28th - 20 volunteers (Practice/Qualification)

Sunday, September 29th - 20 volunteers (Race Day)

Please give us your choices in order of preferred dates that you will work as volunteer. You can give us only one or two or three preferred dates, but please do give us your preferred choices in order. IT WILL BE FIRST COME FIRST SERVE! Send your preferred dates and choices to Ken Kramer (Kenneth.Kramer@DFAS.Mil) and Rod Squire (RCSQUIRE@MSN.COM) no later than Sunday, September 8th. **Don't Delay!** Please be sure that you will be available on that day you are assigned. If you have any question, please don't hesitate to ask us.



EDUCATOR APPRECIATION WEEKEND SEPTEMBER 20-22, 2002



Borders salutes educators with a 25% discount* on merchandise!

The festivities kick off with a reception on Friday with raffles, refreshments, and more!

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Teach as though you are teaching your own children!

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M. Vacarro

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High School - Keith Westhoelter

This Working Oil Campus

Cindy Lawrence and Deb Liebrich will be attending a First Steps Audiology Meeting from 7:30-9:30AM

❖ Deb Liebrich will be completing an off campus observation with a Teacher of the Deaf/HOH for Washington Township Schools from 12:00 −2:00 PM.

Teacher/coaches who have gone to Maryland with the volleyball and football teams:

Jennifer Jenkins (Lane Grover will sub.)

Brian Thorn

Rocky Murray (Don Lehnerz will sub.)

David Reynolds
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Staff Absences

Preschool Sharon Mealka

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High School Rocky Murray (Don Lehnerz will sub.)

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Beth Fields

Elen Zook (Leaving at 12:00)

Principal's Office

Outreach Judy Cass

Anika Neal

Linda Charlebois (Arriving at 10:00 am)



Sports Update

HS Varsity Volleyball - Today, we looked like we re playing on sand with 20 lbs backpack on our back. We faced our long-time rival, Park Tudor, in our house and squeaked by them in 5 games. There was not much excitement in the first 2 games as it was either us or them taking advantage of other's errors. They won first, 17-21, and we took the 2nd game, 21-15. In the third game, we showed some light and played on court with solid defense and attacking to extend the advantage, 21-10. We couldn't find the finish line in the 4^{th} game as we struggled and made too many mental errors. They captured this game, 15-21. I emphasized that we were in this similar situation 48 hours earlier, and we were not going to repeat the breakdown. We finally shot down the Panthers with refocus and new energy, 15-9. Our record is 10-3. The Player of the Match is Annalee Laird with her everlasting spirit, voice and defensive prowess.

7th/8th Girls Volleyball - We visited Sycamore yesterday. We beat them in the first match...a real close game...22-20. We were close to the winning in the second match, but made several carelessness errors...14-21. We could not stop Sycamore's strong attacks and did our best to stay alive in the third game...9-21. We will recharge our batteries for our next game against St. John Lutheran on Tuesday, September 24. Girls, way to go!

4th-6th Grade Volleyball - Playing against Sycamore, we won one out of three games: 12-21, 21-14, 18-21. The rally scoring system is always our challenge. Yesterday, we faced another challenge: Sycamore's low ceiling and small-sized gym. We tried to avoid making high serves and passes. In the first game, we made many serving errors out of fear of hitting the ceiling and gave away points to the opponent. In the second game, our serving improved greatly, but the low ceiling still affected us. In the third game, we gained some confidence, but it was not enough to beat Sycamore. We need to learn not to let different environments affect us. Nevertheless, we did great! Our record is 2-5.

PIP Offers Statewide Training - A statewide training, hosted by the Parent Infant Program, will be held at ISD today. The topic is Assessments for Deaf and Hard of hearing children and their families. The workshop is for the Preschool home visit teams and First Steps providers around the state. Fifteen trainers are expected for the workshop. During the workshop trainers will review assessment tools for Deaf and Hard of Hearing children and discuss the Family Assessment Tool that is used in the Colorado Home Intervention Program. Presenters will include members from the Outreach Assessment Team.

Special education teacher shortage now critical

the United States has reached a critical level. According to the U.S. Department of Education (DOE), last year 98 percent of school districts reported a special education teacher shortage. About 13 percent of those positions remained vacant or were filled by uncertified employees.

While these shortages are severe, the number of professors who train future special education teachers also is shrinking.

"The DOE estimates we will need more than 200,000 new special educators during the next five years, but colleges and universities have the capacity to prepare only about half that number," according to a July report by the President's Commission on Excellence in Special Education.

Currently, about 11 percent of special educators leave the field each year.

School districts are employing many strategies – from signing bonuses to student loan forgiveness – to recruit new teachers. To increase retention, districts are emphasizing professional development, administrative support and mentoring.

The Commission's report, "A New Era," recommended extensive professional development networks, mandatory special education field experiences for education students, an emphasis on hiring and training professors, and a reduced amount of paperwork for

teachers. It also called on states and school districts to devise innovative approaches, including differential or performance-based pay scales.

For a copy of the report, visit www.ed.gov/inits/commissionsboards/whspecialeducation.

Indiana Statistics

During 2000-2001, the Indiana Professional Standards Board issued 1,454 limited licenses for special education areas, allowing licensed teachers without special education certification; and some unlicensed teachers, to teach students with disabilities. Limited licenses were issued in the following special education categories:

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Area	Licenses
Serious emotional disabilities	534
Mild disabilities	365
Learning disabilities &	194
Severe disabilities	169
Mild mental disabilities	138
Other	54
Total	1 454

Source: The Nation's Report Card, U.S. History 2001." National Center for Education Statistics: Cox News Service

Overall, special education accounted for 72 percent of all issued limited licenses.

From On Target, August 2002, Volume 15 Number 6

To teach is to learn again. - Oliver Wendell Holmes

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Janet Walter

High School Kay Sellers (Coming in at 11:20)

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Outreach Ball State



Sports Update

HS Varsity Volleyball - Indiana beat MSSD 15 - 7, 10 - 15, 15 - 9 on Saturday but lost to Maryland 12 - 15, 10 - 15.

ISD Cross Country - On September 19th, ISD went to Ellenberger Park where Scecina hosted. Luckily we didn't get wet from the heavy rain before the meet started. ISD got 3rd place out of four teams. Scecina placed 1st, Coveant Christian placed 2nd, ISD placed 3rd and Ritter received an incomplete. There were a total of 26 boys in the race. Our runners placed the following:

Nick Curtin placed 14th - 23:31 C.L. Young placed 16th - 25:09 Drew Robarge placed 17th - 25:35 Jeremy Wright placed 20th - 28:19 Brendon O'Connor placed 23rd - 33:48 Cory West placed 24th - 35:28.

We will go to Lawrence Central Invitational on September 25 with 10 different schools in Broad Ripple Park.

Friday's Disaster - As all of you know, a disaster struck Indianapolis on Friday. An ISD community member and her family have lost everything they own. BJ Helton, the ISD Switchboard Operator, lost their home. Anyone wishing to make a donation to help BJ and her family, please give donations to anyone in the Campus Police or Human Resources. We will make sure it gets to her and her family. Thank you for your help. — Greg Wright

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Tuesday, September 24, 2002

It's All in the" ATTITUDE "

The 92-year-old, petite, well-poised and proud lady, who is fully dressed each morning by eight o'clock, with her hair fashionably coiffed and makeup perfectly applied, even though she is legally blind, moved to a nursing home today. Her husband of 70 years recently passed away, making the move necessary.

After many hours of waiting patiently in the lobby of the nursing home, she smiled sweetly when told her room was ready. As she maneuvered her walker to the elevator, I provided a visual description of her tiny room, including the eyelet sheets that had been hung on her window. "I love it, "she stated with the enthusiasm of an eight-year-old having just been presented with a new puppy. "Mrs. Jones, you haven't seen the room .. just wait," I said. "That doesn't have anything to do with it," she replied. "Happiness is something you decide on ahead of time. Whether I like my room or not doesn't depend on how the furniture is arranged. It's how I arrange my mind. I already decided to love it."

"It's a decision I make every morning when I wake up. I have a choice; I can spend the day in bed recounting the difficulty I have with the parts of my body that no longer work, or get out of bed and be thankful for the ones that do. Each day is a gift, and as long as my eyes open, I'll focus on the new day and all the happy memories I've stored away just for this time in my life. Old age is like a bank account. You withdraw from what you' ve put in. So, my advice to you would be to deposit a lot of happiness in the bank account of memories. Thank you for your part in filling my Memory Bank. I am still depositing." From an email Kathleen Robertson forwarded.



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Mary Power (Out all morning)

Elementary

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Stop the Flu! - ISD will host its annual Flu Shot Clinic on Monday, October 21 from 2:00 to 4:00 pm in the Health Center. The Coming of Age Agency will provide the Clinic, and flu shots will remain \$15 each. Pneumonia shots will also be available for \$25 and are only necessary every 5 years. Please call the Health Center if you have any questions. More information will be available as the clinic draws near.

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Update on BJ Helton - According to this mornings paper damage estimates for BJ's apartment building is \$750,000 and the building is still unsafe to go into. I will try to keep everyone up to date as I get information. If you would like to donate money to help BJ and her family, send your donation to Campus Police or Human Resources. The following are clothing sizes for the family:

- ♦ Her daughter Paige wears sizes: Pants size 16, Shirts Large, and Socks & Shoes size 8.
- ♦ Her son David wears sizes: Pants 32 waist 33 length, Shirts Large X large, and Socks & Shoes 10-10.5.
- Husband wears sizes: Pants 36 waist 32 length, Shirts X large and Socks & Shoes 10.5.
- ♦ BJ wears sizes: Pants 20, Shirts X Large, Socks & Shoes 7.5 8.

They also need personnel item such as shampoo, soap, toothpaste, deodorant, and etc. We will take any non-perishable food items also for them. The family also needs any items that you can think of to set up a household

such as bedding, towels, dishes, utensils and cooking supplies. Thank you for helping a member of the ISD community.

Phone Book Recycling

When new books are delivered, please take your old 2001-2002 phone books to the nearest recycle bin for recycling (before Nov. 10).







Questions? - Ask your Agency Greening/Recycling Coordinator (Andrew Metz) or call the Greening the Government Program at 233-6920

Thanks for your participation!

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Greetings - Let me begin by thanking you for your time and consideration. My name is Nick Parkevich and I am the Director for Best Buddies Indiana. Best Buddies is a non-profit organization dedicated to enhancing the lives of people with intellectual disabilities by providing one-to-one mutually-enriching social friendships and integrated employment.

Best Buddies was founded in 1989 by Anthony Kennedy Shriver, whose parents founded the Peace Corps and Special Olympics. Best Buddies works with the same clientele as Special Olympics, except that instead of athletic interaction, we provide social interaction, which is valuable in allowing those with intellectual disabilities to become fully integrated into society as active members of their communities.

Best Buddies has six unique programs: Best Buddies Jr. High, Best Buddies High School, Best Buddies College, Best Buddies Citizens, Best Buddies Jobs, and e-Buddies.



Best Buddies Indiana provides three of these programs:

- * Best Buddies High Schools, which matches a Special Education student into a Buddy Pair with a Regular Education student. The two go and do activities, like going to a movie or a football game, together twice a month and communicate at least once a week, whether it be in person, by email, or by phone.
- * Best Buddies Colleges operates similar to High Schools, except that a college student will be matched into a friendship with someone in a group home or service provider.
- * e-Buddies is a completely e-mail based friendship, whereby the Buddy can receive free AOL internet access, and may be eligible for free computer hardware to participate in the program from their home.

Best Buddies is a very unique organization, and one of the only nationally recognized organization, which enables people with intellectual disabilities to take on a leadership role in their respective chapter. Likewise, Best Buddies does not cost anything to the volunteers, the school, or the disability service provider. I encourage you to take a look at www.bestbuddies.org for more information, or please feel free to call me at your convenience to learn more about Best Buddies and how you and your agency can contribute in assisting us in incorporating all people into society as active citizens. Thank you again for your time and consideration. In Friendship, Nick Parkevich, Director, Best Buddies Indiana, 21 Virginia Avenue, Indianapolis, IN 46204, (317) 917-0750, Fax: (317) 917-0781 www.bestbuddies.org.

IU to Offer Online Bachelor's Degree - Indiana University has become the first Indiana institution of higher education to offer a four-year bachelor's degree entirely online. Students worldwide are now able to complete all 120 hours of course work leading to the IU School of Continuing Studies' Bachelor of General Studies online using their computer, e-mail, and the World Wide Web. General studies students pursue an interdisciplinary plan of study in the arts and humanities, social and behavioral sciences, and mathematics and natural sciences. Providing an online bachelor's degree represents a major breakthrough for higher education in the state of Indiana, says SCS Dean Jeremy Dunning. "More than 85 percent of U.S. college students will be online this year," he notes, "and enrollments in online higher education courses are estimated to reach 2.23 million."

Online study has many advantages, says Dunning. "Students in online SCS courses access all their lessons and assignments in one place through a secure, personalized Web site. All lesson submissions and communications take place online, eliminating the delays sometimes experienced with postal mail. In addition, student assignments are graded entirely online by the instructor. Many of the courses feature interactive activities ranging from online quizzes and multimedia exercises to full-blown virtual tours and field trips."

Kathi Lyle is a general studies degree student in Rowlett, Texas. Now just 14 hours from earning her bachelor's degree, she recently completed her first online course. Having taken all her other courses in a pen-and-paper format, she signed up for the online course, she says, because she is eager to finish her degree. "I wanted to see if I could cut a little time off the start-to-finish time frame."

Lyle's experience in the course was positive. "I thoroughly enjoyed the instant quality of the sign-up process. I received instructions and books almost immediately and was ready to go the same day they arrived. I also enjoyed the color photograph and biographical information I found on the instructor. I absolutely loved the ability to check my grades online. I especially enjoyed the format provided for the instructor to place comments.

"If I had to start on my degree from scratch," continues Lyle, "I would do it entirely online. The online format is interactive and dynamic, and it helps engage and encourage the student. There are so many new tools online, whether it's the complete text of a Shakespeare play or access to scholarly journals, artworks, or music - all at 4:00 in the morning if that is what you need."

Courses leading to the online Bachelor of General Studies are approved by their respective Indiana University academic departments and are taught by departmentally approved faculty and instructors. Current offerings include courses in anthropology, business, classical studies, communication and culture, comparative literature, computer science, criminal justice, economics, English, fine arts, geography, geological sciences, history, philosophy, political science, religious studies, and sociology.

"We will consistently build our inventory of online courses over the coming months," says Dunning, "giving degree students the broadest possible range of courses to choose from." For more information about the online Bachelor of General Studies, call 800-334-1011 or send e-mail to scs@indiana.edu <mailto:scs@indiana.edu.

Sometimes the heart sees what is invisible to the eye. — H. Jackson Brown, Jr. Volume 4, Issue 27 Wednesday, September 25, 2002



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Monica Byrum (Will be out for 6 weeks; Angie Smith will cover the Elementary

Office and Joy Lehnerz will sub for Angie Smith.)

Mike McGeath

Middle School

High School

Linda Lloyd

Principal's Office

Outreach Carol Wild



Sports Update

4th-6th Grade Football - On September 19th, 2002 our ISD 6th, 7th and 8th grade football team played against Craig team who had more than 35 players. The score was very close. It was 16 to 14. We, ISD, lost the game but I told our "tough' Oriole team that the Oriole team was successful with their best performance from what we, coaches, taught them before the game. We, coaches, found some players' weaknesses, and we will teach them new skills. Their skills will be improved for the next game. Our players have more bruises on their hands, legs, and bodies than the last game. They showed me that they are tough and stubborn players. Our players are truly "Orioles". They were improved and better played each game. I was very impressed with our players! We will have four games left to play, and all games are at home games. The games will start at 5:00pm. Come and support 6th, 7th and 8th grade Oriole players!

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Gallaudet Reading Workshop On October 5 – The workshop is full. It will be from 8:30 am – 4:00 pm in the Distance Learning Lab on Saturday, October 5. Some Guys will provide a continental breakfast and catered lunch.

Greetings from the Dietary Department - When you need to fill out a Food Request Form for a special function, you can now access this form under Novell. Look for the Dietary folder. Following past practice, please complete and process the form when you need food or paper supplies for a special food function. Dietary needs to receive this form, signed by the Departments Supervisor, a minimum of two weeks in advance of the function. Thank you.

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Ruth Asher-Lynch

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Jim Frenchik (Late)

Rachele Powers

Principal's Office -

Outreach -

BSU Participants

Gary Mowl



Sports Update

HS Varsity Volleyball - The Lady Deaf Hoosiers defended our home-court against the Edinburgh Lancers in 3 games to claim the 12th victory of the season. We blazed away with mighty serves and defensive coverage, 21 - 8. The 2nd game found us staring at a 3 - 10 deficit, but we rattled our knees and ankles to tie the game at 16 points behind a Pia Marie - Erica lethal combo. We prevailed 21 - 17. The final game was almost all Erica vs. 6 Lancers as she shot them down with her sly aces. Jorjan contributed 5 kills with no errors to close the match, 21 - 14. The Player of the Match was Erica Hossler with 11 aces and 8 kills. Our record is 12 - 4

7th & 8th Grade Volleyball - We played against St. John Lutheran on Tuesday. They defeated St. John's 21-18 and 21-14. Our record is 4 - 4.

4th-6th Grade Volleyball - Leaving our chemistry at ISD, we lost to St. John Lutheran 14 - 21, 21-9, 10 - 21 on Tuesday evening. We did not play as a team. Motivation and preparedness were sorely missed in all three games. During the second game, we played against the opponent's B Team and managed to win the game. We are going to work on getting our special chemistry back. We want to be ready for our next game!

4th-6th Grade Football - We played against St. Luke and won 22 to 6. Our running and passing games were great. Our defense once again played superb. Our boys played hard and played with a great attitude. We still have a room to improve, but we are improving every game. We will play next Tuesday at 5:00 pm. Our record is 2 and 1.

Faculty Art Show - Entry Application forms are DUE this Friday, September 27 at 3 pm. You do not need to bring your artwork(s) until October 11 however. You have plenty of time to find your old artwork(s) from your high school or college art class. Any recently artwork(s) from an evening class is fine also. Thanks for supporting the Faculty Art Show.

PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL INDIANA SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF AUGUST 9, 2002 MEETING

Dear Parents and Staff,

The minutes to this PAC meeting are long but are filled with loads of valuable information. I encourage you to take some time to read through these minutes.

Anytime you have an issue or concern that you want brought before PAC, please submit it to me via my e-mail address at onthego321@aol.com or call me at (317) 823-5191 V/TTY.

All parents are invited to attend the meetings. The next PAC meetings will be held on November 18th:

Preschool: 8:30 to 9:30 a.m. in Room 115 of the Preschool Elementary: 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. in the Library of the Elementary

Middle School/High School: 4:30 to 6:00 p.m in Glenda Zmijewski's office in the Middle School.

Tami Hossler, PAC Chairperson

Attendees:

Tami Hossler, PAC Chairperson
Bob Kovatch, High School Principal
Diana Battiste, Preschool Supervising Teacher
David Geeslin, Elementary Supervising Teacher
Glenda Zmijewski, Middle School Supervising Teacher
Brian Bippus, Athletic Director
Debbie Fetzer, Dean of Student Life
Judy Cass, Director of Outreach
Jeff Richards, Guidance Counselor
Diane Jones, Family Resource Coordinator
Barb Gantt, Parent
Wendy Brimmer, Parent
Brook Olsen, Parent
Mich Bignell, Parent

The first Parent Advisory Council meeting was held in the Multi-Purpose Room of the Preschool on Monday, August 9th. It began at 3:30 p.m. and ended at 5:10 p.m. The meeting was interpreted and childcare was provided.

Discussion:

I. Introductions and Announcements: Tami Hossler

Introductions were made. Tami Hossler informed the group that the meetings will be held every other month this year. The first meeting and the last meeting will combine all departments in the Multi-Purpose Room at 3:30 p.m. The other meetings will be held in their own departments.

II. Athletics: Brian Bippus

- 1. Fall sports include football, volleyball, cheerleading, and cross country for High School. Middle School has football, cheerleading, and volleyball. Sports in the winter for both High School and Middle School include swimming, wrestling, basketball, and cheerleading. Spring sports for both High School and Middle School include track. Fourth graders may participate in Middle School sports.
- 2. There are several big events planned for this year including:
 - a. The Spike-Out at the Texas School for the Deaf for the Volleyball Team which will take place the last weekend of September.
 - b. The Clerc Classic Boys' and Girls' Basketball Tournament hosted by the Deaf School in Fremont, California which will take place the second weekend in December.
 - c. The CSSD Track and Field hosted by ISD the first weekend of May.
- 3. Most of the above activities will be sponsored by a funds raised by ISD volunteers who worked concessions at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway.
- 4. Student Life is working on sports activities for Elementary-aged children at ISD. Please contact Debbie Fetzer for more information in the Dean of Student Life Office.

III. Preschool: Diana Battiste

- 1. Preschool has 31 students, six teachers, one P.E. teacher and six teacher's aides this year.
- 2. Last year, Diana Battiste and the Preschool teachers met with staff from the University of Illinois in regards to using a technique for students called the "Project Approach". This approach allows for in-depth investigation of topics meaningful to young children. Four classes in Preschool are currently investigating the topic of water and will be working with Middle School staff and students on renovating the Preschool courtyard and fishpond.
- 3. The SODA/CODA Program will begin the week of September 30 April 24th as long as there are available openings in the age-appropriate class. Parents must volunteer while their hearing child is in class. Please check with Diana Battiste on this if you are interested in this program.

IV. Elementary: David Geeslin

The Elementary School has 97 students and seven new teacher's aides. Some of the new things happening in Elementary are:

- 1. Reading Aloud Program: Teachers read to the students. This helps students with predicting, rhythm, details, etc.
- 2. Harcourt Brace is the new Language Arts textbook series that was recently adopted by ISD staff and parents. Next year, there will be a new textbook adoption for Social Studies.
- 3. All students should be dropped off at the back of the Elementary School and picked up there after school. A paper was sent home explaining this.
- 4. Good Touch/Bad Touch: This program explains inappropriate touching to students. It helps explain what is appropriate and by whom and what is not appropriate. This is all taught in an age sensitive manner.
- 5. Looping System: Elementary continues to use the looping system. This means that students have the same teacher for first and second grade and the same teacher they had in third grade for fourth grade. Class rotation begins in fifth grade to prepare students for Middle School.

Parents suggested two items to Elementary:

- 1. Hearing parents need help with basic homework signs. They would like to have a class for this or a videotape. Bob Kovatch will have Gary Mowl follow up on this.
- 2. Parents would like information on where to find interpreters. Debbie Fetzer volunteered to develop a flyer to be sent out to all parents.

V. Middle School: Glenda Zmijewski

Gleanda Zmijewski is the Interim Supervising Teacher this year. She reported that Middle School currently has 58 students. New programs in Middle School include:

1. "How Kids Learn": Department meetings and in-services are being provided to MS Staff on how to motivate and inspire students.

- 2. "Reading Aloud": Teachers will continue the Read Aloud Program into Middle School using stories above grade level.
- 3. Readers' Theatre: Teachers will set up a Readers' Theatre and will model for students taking over characters' roles. Once the students understand the concepts behind the theatre, they will take this over. This helps with reading English and translating to ASL.

VI. High School: Bob Kovatch reporting for Linda Lloyd

- 1. Bob Kovatch reported that there are currently 130 students in High School (eleven new students). P.E. teacher, Jackie McBroom, has retired. Rusty Crace has been hired as a long-term substitute teacher in the Math Department.
- 2. Ten students are taking classes at Arsenal Tech's Vocational Center. They leave at 7:30 a.m. and are back for third period. Classes include art, automotives, foods, computer repair, etc.
- 3. Fall Student Recognition Assembly: This assembly was held and recognized accomplishments of students, class officers, student organizations, teams, and coaches over the summer and this fall.
- 4. In recognition of September 11 and those that lost their lives, Middle School and High School students held a program on "What's Great About America". They performed poems and skits.
- 5. Monthly Celebration of School Subjects: A subject, for example History, is selected by the High School and is celebrated for one month in all the High School Departments. Halls are decorated and classes try to incorporate the subject into their own classes.
- 6. Student Accomplishments: Throughout the year, stars will show up throughout the High School. On each star, a student's name will appear in recognition of their accomplishment. This will continue until May 2003.
- 7. "Drop Everything and Read": Throughout the school year, the High School Dept. will participate in the Drop Everything and Read Program. Students and Teachers will be informed that this will occur on a specific day. When this occurs, teachers and students will stop what they are doing and read or write for 15 minutes. This is part of the School Improvement Plan.
- 8. Student Parking: Day students are now permitted to park in a designated area in the Main Building Parking Lot.

VII. Guidance: Jeff Richards

- 1. ISD students and other mainstreamed students can now take the SAT and ACT, college entrance exams, on the campus of ISD at various times during the school year.
- 2. ISTEP: Students at ISD take the ISTEP exam during mid-September. This year, the State has decided not to include the science portion of the exam. The exam currently covers math and language arts. Letters have been sent home to parents explaining the exam and how they can help their student prepare. This year, ISD is able to take advantage of extended time for taking the test along with teachers being able to sign the questions to the students (through Middle School).

VIII. Family Resource Coordinator: Diane Jones

- 1. New Family Orientation: Sept. 14th is in need of parents to volunteer to speak on the parent panel.
- 2. Gallaudet Reading Workshop: Oct. 5th. Part I will be held at ISD. This workshop is filling up fast. There is still room for parents to attend. Please contact Diane Jones if you are interested. This workshop is part of the School Improvement Plan.
- 3. Grandparents Day will be held on Oct. 17th, Thursday.
- 4. Bi-Bi Workshop: Mary Dall and John Polstra will be the parent facilitators for this workshop. It will be all hands-on activities concentrating on family communication and identities. The tentative date is Nov. 23rd, Saturday.

IX. Outreach: Judy Cass

- 1. Outreach's focus this year is "How to Meet Our Responsibilities". A retreat will be held the third week of September. Outreach is also trying to define their responsibilities outside ISD and will be working with other public schools, parents and families, organizations, deaf community services, etc. in accordance to the new governance laws at ISD.
- 2. Assessment Staff: Elementary/Preschool and Middle School/High School will have their own Audiologist and Psychologist.
- 3. In-services and Training: The focus will be strengthening evaluation skills for early childhood and autism.

- 4. Parent Infant Program (PIP): PIP is expanding their responsibilities with First Steps and the Universal Hearing Program. The State has recognized ISD for their work with Deaf Children in Education.
- 5. Article 7 is on ISD's website.
- X. Principal: Bob Kovatch
- 1. School Calendar and ½ Day Fridays: In response to parent concerns over too many ½ days this year, Bob Kovatch explained how the school calendar is developed. Six of the ten ½ days are for accreditation and 4 are for the end of each quarter. The school calendar is develop and planned with the Indiana School for the Blind due to transportation issues. There are 180 days of instruction. The Department of Education allows for 10 ½ days that can be counted as full days if students are dismissed after lunch at 12:30. The proposal for the calendar is sent to DOE in the Spring. Using ½ days helps saves money for the school.
- 2. Beecher Hall has been demolished. It was located next to Brown Cafeteria. The area is fenced off and students are entering the cafeteria through a different entrance to avoid the construction site. Supervision around the area has been increased.

XI. Student Life: Debbie Fetzer

- There are many new after-school programs available for day and residential students. Student Life has expanded and now serves both day and residential students. Preschool/Elementary Day students need to see Harriett Hoffman, Assistant Dean of Preschool/Elementary, to sign-in each day. Middle School and High School Day students are expected to go straight to the Oriole Nest to sign-in each day. (See attached for detailed information.)
- 2. The Student Work Program has been set up to allow students to hold jobs after school. These student jobs are available to both day and residential students. There are 25 positions in total. Student Life has filled 22 out of 25 positions. Only three positions are vacant. The following positions that are filled are: 3 -Vending Machines Student Assistants, 1 Oriole's Snack Bar Student Manager, 8 Oriole's Snack Bar Student Assistants, 4 Oriole's Reporters, 1 Recreation Student Manager, 3 Recreation Student Assistants, There are three vacancies for the Student Life Center student assistant.
- 3. The Student Life counselor has counseling services and provides social skills workshops/activities to all residential students. Day students are welcome to participate. Please contact Cin Pickering for more information at cpickering@isfd.state.in.us.
- 4. The second floor CO-ED Lounge has been renamed to the Oriole Nest.

Would you like to find the right financial balance in your life? - You probably have values that are important to you that you want to pass on. At the same time, you are living in the "now" and want to maintain a standard of living for yourself and your family. Find out how the government is encouraging thoughtful estate planning and charitable giving to attain your goals.

- Everyone has some vision of the legacy they want to leave. This vision includes your lifestyle today, your lifestyle in the future, and your legacy.
- ❖ Your cash flow changes over time. In some instances, making a gift can actually improve your cash flow, giving you more income than you had before. Maybe you have parents who are, or will be, your financial responsibility. Perhaps you have one child for whom you must provide differently from the others. You or your spouse may have health considerations that could affect your situation. There are ways to be fair, and still take care of any special concerns.
- ❖ You also need to protect your control over your personal situation. What four basic legal documents allow you to retain control by pre-deciding?
- When you set up an Irrevocable Trust, funded with life insurance, you are actually providing your heirs with a pool of money they can use to pay estate taxes without having to sacrifice any of your estate assets.

The State Personnel Department provides financial education programs for state employees to provide information regarding the above statements. These programs are held monthly. The fourth quarter is now open for registration. Please encourage your employees to secure their financial future. This series of programs provides financial education for retirement, how to plan for your children's education, the basics



of investing, and achieving financial success. You can find a list of the current programs scheduled on the Training Calendar at www.in.gov/jobs/training&development.

No one can go back and make a brand new start. All of us can start from now and make a brand new ending.

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ISD WINS SPIKE-OUT

Our Indiana Volleyball Team flew to Austin, Texas for the Spike Out IV as defending champions. We conquered the championship again by outgunning all opponents to claim the 2nd straight championship!!! We were undefeated in 12 games and finished 6 - 0 in the tournament. We outscored and outplayed JMA, MSSD and Maryland in the playoffs: 90 - 28. With our girls hyped so high, we out-executed and played awesomely against all comers. The girls believed and achieved our game plans and strategies in defusing their offensive powers. Every player performed their assignments excellently and contributed in this undisputed and unarguable championship run!! Erica Hossler and Pia Marie Paulone were selected All-Stars.

ISD vs. Fremont 15-3, 15-3

ISD vs. Minnesota 15-12, 15-7

ISD vs. Texas 15-7, 15-5

ISD vs. JMA 15-0, 15-1

ISD vs. MSSD 15-7, 15-5

ISD vs. Maryland 15-7, 15-8



4:30

HS Cross Country at Lutheran MS Volleyball with St. Richards (4:30/5:00)

Upcoming Activities

October 1

4th-6th Football with the Christian Park Jaguars (5:00)

HS Volleyball at Liberty Christian (5:00)

October 2

HS Class Meetings (10:30)

MS Volleyball with Park Tudor (4:30/5:00)

HS Volleyball with Ritter (4:30)

October 3

7th-8th Football with the Christian Park Cowboys (5:00)

Today's Case Conferences

8:30 M. Parks

D. Showers

9:00 A. Pitchford

B. Hartman
T. Johnson

10:00 T. Johnso

11:00 R. Abney

1:00 A. Bagley

2:15 M. Wilson

JV Volleyball at the International School (5:30)

October 4 AM Schedule followed in HS & MS.

First Quarter Ends

Classes dismiss for students at 12:30 pm. Varsity Football at Edinburgh (7:30)

October 5 Gallaudet Reading Workshop in the Distance Learning Classrooms (:8:30 – 4:00)

CSSD for HS Volleyball at Illinois (9:00) HS Cross Country in the City Meet (9:30)

October 7 School Pictures for Preschool and Elementary

JV Volleyball at University - CANCELLED

October 8 School Pictures for Middle School

Educational Team Meeting (9:00)

MS Volleyball at Emmaus Lutheran (4:30/5:00) HS Cross Country in the Tech Invitational (4:30) 4th-6th Football with the Christian Park Vikings (5:00)

October 9 Cami Cass & Sharon Mealka's classes will go to the Fall Harvest Festival at Waterman's

Farm Market from 9:30 to 2:00.

School Pictures for High School

ISD School Board Meeting (3:00 – 6:00) MS Volleyball with Orchard (4:30/5:00)

October 10 School Pictures for Class of 2003

HS Cross Country at Northwest with Broad Ripple, Ritter and Northwest

7th-8th Football with Creston (4:45) HS Volleyball at Blue River Valley (6:00)

October 11 Artwork and Nametag for the Faculty Art Show is due. (3:00)

October 12 HOMECOMING

HS Volleyball with Western Pennsylvania (10:000

Varsity Football with Alabama (2:00)

October 14 Quarterly Plans are due.

Columbus Day (School in session)

October 14-17 MS Volleyball in the IISL Tourney

October 15 HS Volleyball at Manual (4:30)

HS Cross Country Sectionals at Bredeuf (4:300 4th-6th Grade Football with Christian Park Irish (5:00)

October 16 HS Volleyball at Lutheran (5:30)

October 17 7th-8th Grade Football with Christian Park Cowboys (5:00)

October 18 HS Football at North Central (Farmersburg, IN (7:30)

SRC DUE

Middle School

Lunch - Edna Olsen

After School - Dan Fitzpatrick

High School

Lunch - Scotty Zwicker

After School - Loretta Hammel



Staff Absences

Preschool

Scheryl Hittle (Linda Krieger will sub.)

Elementary Jenni Holder (Heather Yack will sub.)

Lou Ott

Marci Hawkins

Monica Byrum

Middle School High School

Cindy Squire

Jerry Backus

Mary Power (Coming in at noon)

Linda Lloyd (Out this afternoon)

Principal's Office

Outreach

Linda Charlebois Carolyn Pimentel

Ball State

Laraine Catt



Library News - The Main Library has many filmstrips/slides which were used at ISD long ago. (so long ago that the milk in the pictures is in glass bottles!) This material will be given to the Indiana State Library on October 28. You may come to the Main Library before that date and take any filmstrips or slides for use in your classroom. Filmstrips and slides remaining in the library after October 28 will be sent to the Indiana State Library.

ISD TV - The Technology Center has just unveiled the TV Studio certification program that any ISD staff can obtain to gain privileges for using our TV Studio and Editing room. More information about TV Studio certification can be found under "TV Studio Certification" on the @ISD web site (http://atisd). If you are interested, please contact Technology Center staff.

Health Center News - Let me introduce myself. My name is Sherry Beeler and I am the evening/noc supervisor in the Health Center. Lately, we have received numerous requests for information for case conferences, IASEP, and other events.. It may speed up the process for you to know that all requests to the Health Center or Deb Robarge are forwarded to me. It has become my responsibility to answer these requests as soon as I get them. I retrieve the info, mark it confidential and send it through campus mail. If you needing it faster, arrangements can be made. Just let me know. I also record the date of the mailing and the TOR or the name of the person requesting the information in the student's record so we can track where all of the information is sent. If you send it to me directly, it will be processed faster and also if you have any questions or special requests, my work day begins at 2:45 pm. I can be reached at extension 409.